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**REQUEST FOR AMENDMENT TO DRAWINGS**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231  
**ATTENTION: Official Draftsman**

Dear Sir:

Approval to amend FIGURES 5 and 6 to FIGURES 5a, 5b and  
FIGURES 6a, 6b, respectively, as illustrated in red in the enclosed drawing copy is  
respectfully requested. A duplicate copy of this request is being submitted to the  
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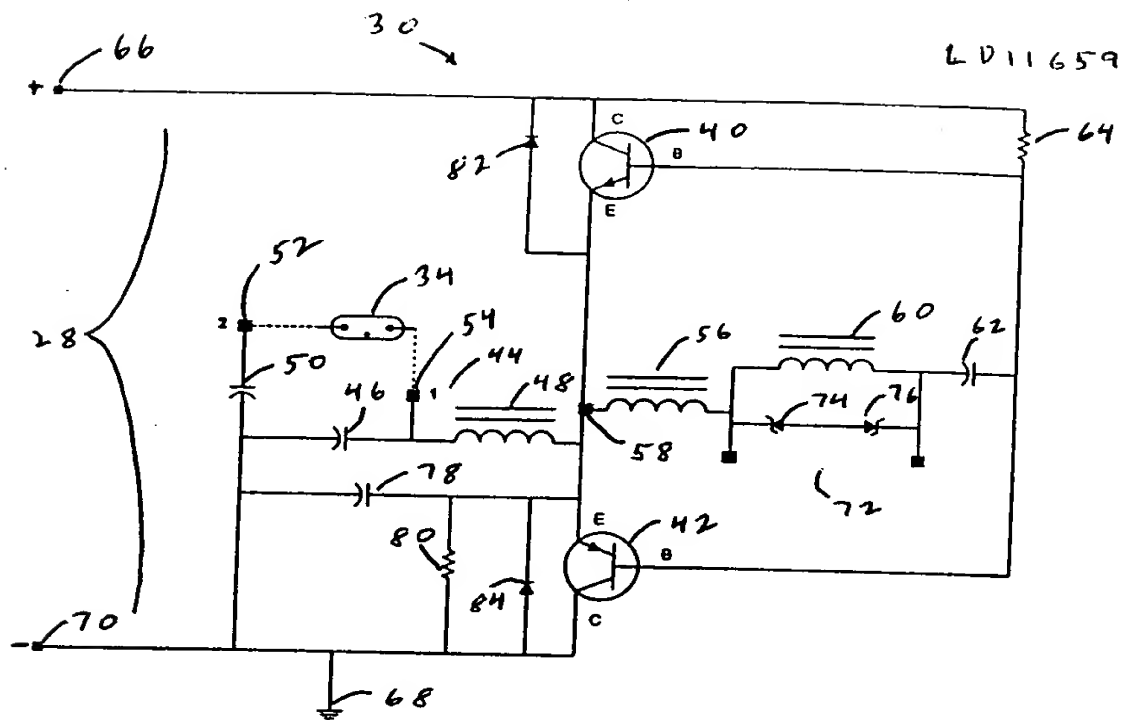


FIGURE 4

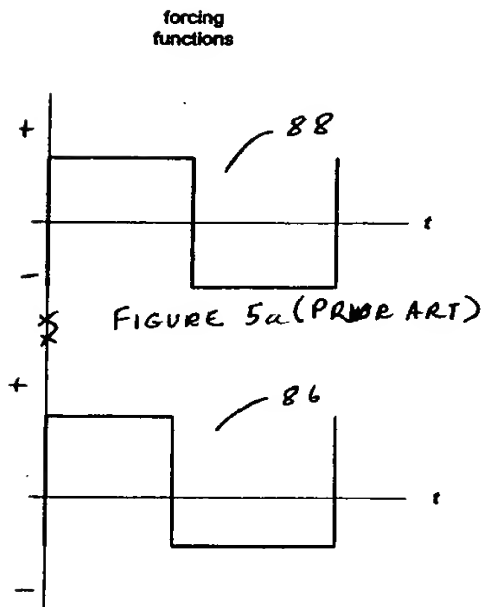


FIGURE 5b

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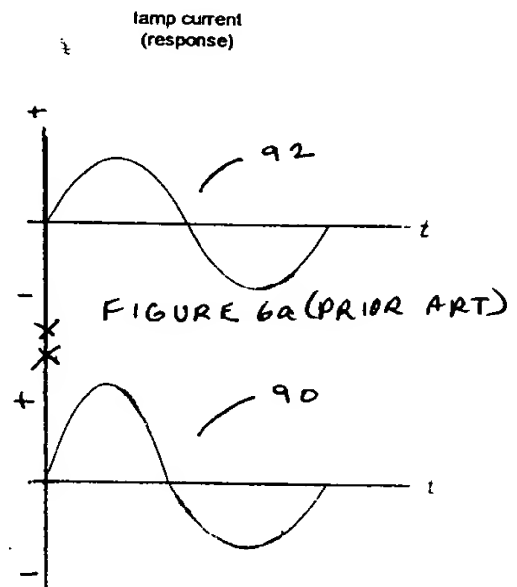


FIGURE 6b